

ANY SCHOOLMASTER that wants a Place, may, by applying to *Samuel Lane*, at *Pig-Point*, meet with good Encouragement. (1*)

BASIL FRANCIS,
WATCHMAKER from LONDON,
In Market-Street, BALTIMORE-TOWN.

MAKES, sells, and repairs Horizontal, Repeating, and all Sorts of Watches. As his Skill in Business is well known, he needs no Apologies. He only takes this Method to inform the Public, that there is one as capable of the Business here, as any in *Annapolis*. And, as he hath had the Success to give Satisfaction to those Gentlemen and Ladies that have been pleased to employ him, he hopes the Continuance of their Favours, as well as the Public in general, as they may depend on having their Work done in the best and neatest Manner, and at the lowest Rates.

•• Likewise sells Goldsmiths Work, and gives the full Value for old Gold and Silver.

STRAYED or STOLEN, from the Subscriber's Plantation, on *South-River*, in *Anne-Arundel* County, Two Plow Horses, one a white Horse, and the other a grey roan Horse, they are between 13 and 14 Hands high, the roan Horse is galled on one Shoulder, they are both dock'd, but the Brand, if any, not remembered. They were taken away in the Christmas Holidays. Any Person that will deliver the said Horses, or either of them, to me, shall receive Two Dollars Reward for each. The roan Horse did belong to Mr. *Snowden*, and afterwards to Mr. *Samuel Tannehill*, near Mr. *Snowden's* Iron-Works.

NICHOLAS MACCUBBIN.

Annapolis, Dec. 22. 1767.

THOMAS BALL,
From LONDON,

CONSIDERABLY encouraged by many GENTLEMEN in Town, intends the First of January next, to open SCHOOL in the House where Mr. *Goldsmith* lately liv'd, next Door to Mr. *Thomas Sparrow's*, where he purposes teaching Reading, Writing, Arithmetic, Book-keeping, and Navigation: He therefore solicits the Favour of the Public, to merit which, assiduous Care shall be taken to instruct the Pupils in the Principles of Morality and Humanity, as well as in their proper Branches of Learning.

Indisputable Recommendations, with respect to his Character and Abilities, can be produced.

•• He also purposes keeping an Evening SCHOOL, and to commence the same the Day of the Date aforesaid, having already engaged Ten Scholars.

December 9, 1767.

RAN away from the Subscriber, living in *London-Town*, on *South-River*, an Indented Servant Man, named **WILLIAM COOKE**, born in *Staffordshire*, in *England*, and has been in most Parts of *Ireland*, is about 5 Feet 6 Inches high, has a small Lump in his Forehead, a Mole on his left Cheek, thin Vilag'd, and dark Eyes: Had on, when he went away, a Coarse Hat, bound round with Worsted Binding, thin black Hair, tied behind, and curled, a short grey Half-thick Coat, and Breeches, with black Horn Buttons on the Breeches, old Scarier Cloth Waistcoat, turn'd, white Yarn Stockings, turn'd Pumps, white Shirt, and Mullin Stock, with a Brafs Buckle: He may have other Cloaths with him, and probably will change his Name. He has been in the *East-Indies*, on board a Man of War, and boasts much of it, when drunk, in which he will not fail, if he can get Liquor. He was seen in *Annapolis*, on Monday Night, drunk. It is supposed he will go over the Bay, if he can.

Whoever takes up said Servant, and brings him home to his Master, shall receive THIRTY SHILLINGS, if taken within Ten Miles from *Annapolis*, and, if farther, THREE POUNDS Reward, and reasonable Charges, paid by

ALEXANDER FERGUSON.

•• He is a Taylor by Trade, and may pass for a Stay-maker, as he has work'd at that Business some Time.

Prince-George's County, Dec. 17, 1767.

FIVE POUNDS REWARD.

RAN away, last Night, from the Subscribers, a Convict Servant Man, named **JOHN EVANS**, a Tailor by Trade, about Five Feet Eight Inches high, has short black Hair, and a smooth Face and Look, and stammers much when surprized: Had on, and carried with him, an old blue Surtout Coat, with Metal Buttons, a brown Sagathy Suit, lined with white, the Waistcoat has Metal Buttons; a brown lapell'd Frize Waistcoat; a white Flannel ditto; a new Castor Hat, Yarn Stockings, white and check Shirts; a blue Ratten Pair of Breeches, and several other Things unknown. He also took with him a likely bay Horse, about 14 Hands high, has a small white-Spot on the End of his Nose, branded on the near Shoulder and Buttock, O S; a good Saddle, with large Swivel Stirrups, a blue fringed Cloth Housing, stripp'd Swanskin Saddle Cloth, and Snaffle Bridle.

Whoever secures the said Servant and Horse, so that they may be had again, shall have Three Pounds for the Horse and Saddle, and Forty Shillings for the Servant, and reasonable Charges, if brought home, paid by

BASIL WARING, JOHN WARING.

ANNAPOLIS: Printed by **ANNE CATHARINE** and **WILLIAM GREEN**, at the PRINTING-OFFICE: Where all Persons may be supplied with this GAZETTE, at 12s. 6d. a Year; ADVERTISEMENTS, of a moderate Length, are inserted the First Time, for 5s. and 1s. for each Week's Continuance. Long Ones in Proportion to their Number of Lines.—At same Place may be had, ready Printed, most kinds of **BLANKS**, viz. **COMMON** and **BAIL BONDS**; **TESTAMENTARY LETTERS** of several Sorts, with their proper **BONDS** annexed; **BILLS** of **EXCHANGE**; **SHIPPING-BILLS**, &c. &c. All Manner of **PRINTING-WORK** performed in the neatest and most expeditious Manner, on applying as above.

Annapolis, December 31, 1767.

TO BE SOLD,

THE SCHOONER BOAT, BETSEY, as she now lies in the Dock, with all her Apparel and Furniture. For further Particulars, enquire of the Subscriber, (1*) **ROBERT BRYCE.**

Annapolis, December 31, 1767.

To be SOLD, for Want of EMPLOY, TWO likely **NEGRO LADS**. The Purchaser may have Credit, paying Interest. For further Particulars, enquire of **THO. JENINGS.**

LATELY PUBLISHED,

And to be SOLD at the PRINTING-OFFICE, **THE MARYLAND ALMANACK**, for the Year 1768.

STOLEN from the Subscriber, living at *Monocacy*, in *Frederick* County, on the 8th of September last, a HORSE and MARE. The Horse is of a dun Colour, about 16 Hands high, branded on the near Shoulder and Buttock with the Letter O, has a large Mane, and a black Streak on the Ridge of his Back. The Mare is of a light bay Colour, about 14 Hands high, has a large Star in her Forehead, a black Mane and Tail, and a black Streak on her Back, has Two Lumps on her left hind Leg, about the Size of Musket-Balls, and paces, trots, and gallops.

Whoever brings the above Creatures to the Subscriber, or Mr. *Conrad Greff*, in *Frederick-Town*, shall receive a Reward of Ten Pounds, paid by

(1*) **CHRISTIAN KOSSEL.**

THE Subscriber having a good ASSORTMENT of GOODS remaining on Hand, he will dispose of them on very easy Terms, for Cash, Tobacco, or Bills. Short Credit will be given to the Purchaser, giving Bond with Security. He also desires all Persons who have open Accounts with him, either in the Store, or Balances, as Sheriff of *Anne-Arundel* County, that they will come and settle the same, to prevent such Steps as would be disagreeable to them, as well as to

WILLIAM STEWART.

Annapolis, Nov. 27, 1767.

WILLIAM WHETCROFT,
GOLDSMITH, JEWELLER, and LAPIDARY,
Has opened Shop, opposite Dr. *HENRY STEVENSON's*, in Gay-Street, BALTIMORE-TOWN.

WHERE Ladies and Gentlemen may depend that constant Attendance will be given, and the greatest Expedition observed in any Orders they shall be pleased to favour him with. As he has provided proper Persons, which in the several Branches are calculated to give Content, so he will engage they cannot procure, on the Continent, any Articles in that Way, on better Terms than those which are manufactured by him. He keeps the Work he sells in Repair, gratis: and gives the best Prices for Old GOLD, SILVER, SILVER-LACE, and BALTIMORE-STONE.

•• He continues to attend the Business in *ANNA-POLIS*, as usual, and returns his sincere Thanks to his FRIENDS and the PUBLIC, for the Encouragement he has met with there, and hopes a Continuance of the same.

WILLIAM KNAPP,
WATCHMAKER, in *ANNA-POLIS*,

BECS Leave to acquaint the Gentlemen of *Baltimore*, that any Commands in the **WATCH-WAY**, delivered at the above Shop, shall be carefully executed, and speedily returned to said Shop; as he has now for that Purpose, established such an Intercourse between *Baltimore* and this Place, that will admit of no Disappointment.

Elk-Ridge Landing, November 17, 1767.

THE Subscriber, pursuant to the Acceptance of his Proposal, at opening his Store, expects that all those who were pleased to favour him with their Custom, will, without Compulsion, comply with the Terms proposed: And that none may have the least evasive Excuse, because of the scarcity of Money, he will take Wheat, Rye, Oats, Corn, Flax-seed, or any other merchantable Commodity, at the Current Price; and every Delinquent, who will not comply with these Terms, or come and settle his Account, by giving his Bond or Note, may expect to be used as the Rigour of the Law directs.

SAMUEL DORSEY, Jun.

Anne-Arundel County, November 24, 1767.

RAN away last Night, from the Subscriber, living near *Patapsco* Ferry, an *English* Convict Servant Man, named **BARTHOLOMEW CROSS**, about 30 Years of Age, a tall slender Fellow, sandy Complexion, and has a scald Head: Had on when he went away, a brown *Devonshire* Jacket, a Nankeen ditto under it, old white Shirt, a new Pair of brown Half-thick Breeches, with one Pocket, a Pair of black and white Stockings, footed with white Yarn, an old Pair of *English* Shoes, two old Felt Hats sewed together round the Edge with blue Yarn, and a new worsted Cap. Whoever takes up said Servant and brings him to the Subscriber, or secures him so as he may be had again, shall have a Reward of TWENTY SHILLINGS if taken in the County, and FORTY SHILLINGS if out of the County, besides what the Law allows, paid by

CHRISTOPHER GARDENER.

•• He broke *Queen-Anne* Jail sometime in September last, and went by the Name of *Richard Adwell*.

Prince-George's County, November 11, 1767.

TO BE RENTED,

THE PLANTATION, and Five **NEGROES**, lately belonging to *NICHOLAS LOWE* DARNALL, lying in *Baltimore* County, near the Fork of *Gunpowder*, and about 12 Miles from *Baltimore-Town*. The Land is good, and the Buildings upon it new, convenient either for Planting, or Farming. Any Person inclinable to Rent, may know the Terms, by applying to

FRANCIS HALL

To be SLOD, by the SUBSCRIBER, in *George-Town*, *Frederick* County.

A VALUABLE WATER LOT, with a good DWELLING-HOUSE. For Terms, apply to Mr. *William Deakins, jun.* in *George-Town*.

T. ADDISON, jun.

Kent-Island, November 19, 1767.

RAN away from the Subscriber, a Convict Servant Man, named **JOSEPH HAINES**, about 30 Years of Age, and about 5 Feet 5 Inches high, swarthy Complexion, short black Hair, and his Beard grey, his Body is much scarified, if well look'd into, his Cloaths are uncertain; it is thought he is a good Scholar, writes a pretty good Hand, and drolls in Speech.

Whoever takes up and secures said Servant, so as his Master may have him again, shall receive Four Dollars Reward, paid by

JOHN LEGG.

THIS is to acquaint the Public, that the Subscriber has procured himself good BOATS and HANDS, to cross the Bay, from *BROAD-CREEK* to *ANNA-POLIS*, and from *ANNA-POLIS* to *BROAD-CREEK*, on *KENT-ISLAND*, and will carry Passengers as follows: Man and Horse, at 10s. Single Man, 5s. Single Horse, 7s. 6d. Chair, 7s. 6d. He likewise keeps a House of Entertainment at *BROAD-CREEK*, on *KENT-ISLAND*, where Travellers may depend on being used in the kindest Manner, by

(1*) **JOHN BRYAN.**

Prince-George's County, Sept. 7, 1767.

STOLEN out of the Subscriber's Pasture, on Monday Night, the 31st of AUGUST last, a large light coloured grey Horse, near 15 Hands high, branded on the near Shoulder and Buttock B. He has a Ridge Mane and Bob Tail, paces, trots, and gallops, and has been used to draw in a Chair.

Whoever brings him to the Subscriber, shall have EIGHT DOLLARS Reward, with reasonable Charges, if brought home, and FIVE POUNDS for the Thief, if he be Convicted, paid by

(1*) **BENJAMIN HALL, Son of FRANCIS.**

IMPORTED,

In the *NELLY*, Capt. *M'KIRDY*, from *GLASGOW*, and to be sold by the Subscriber, at his Store, *CRA-TICO*, *ST. MARY'S* County, for Tobacco, or a very moderate Advance, in Cash, or Bills of Exchange.

A LUMPING PARCEL of GOODS, consisting of coarse Broad Cloths, Forreit Cloths, German Serge, Worsted Shag, and Trimmings, and a few Pieces of *Kendal* Cottons, and coarse Plaiding, to the Amount of Two Hundred Pounds Cost.

(1*) **PHILIP BRISCOE.**

BALTIMORE-TOWN, Sept. 21, 1767.

EDWARD PRESTON, STAYMAKER, from LONDON,

At his Shop, opposite Dr. *HENRY STEVENSON's*, in Gay-Street,

BECS Leave to inform the Public in general, and the Ladies in particular, that he makes all kind of STAYS in the neatest Manner, and after the newest, most genteel, and best approv'd Fashions, at the same Prices formerly charged by Mr. *CHARLES WALLACE*, and with the same Abatement, if paid for within a Month after Delivery. Those Ladies who may be pleased to favour him with their Commands, may depend on being serv'd with Dispatch, as he has a proper Supply of every Material suitable for his Business, and a sufficient Number of Assistants. The Measure of STAYS, if not taken by himself, must be measured after the following Manner:

- I. From the Top of the Breast, to the End of the Peak.
- II. From under the Arm, down as low as the Waist.
- III. From the Top of the Back, to the Bottom of the Lace Holes.
- IV. Round the Body, over the Breast.
- V. Round the Body, over the smallest Part of the Waist.
- VI. From Arm to Arm, over the Breast.

•• All Letters (Post paid) with Orders, will be punctually answered, by

Their most humble Servant,

(12*) **EDWARD PRESTON.**

[XXIII^d. YEAR.]

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LETTERS from a FARMER to the Inhabitants of

L E T T

MY DEAR COUNTRYMEN

HIS Letter particularly Employment prevented Consideration are of great for many be, even in these Colonies, general are more intelligent whatever, as has been rema it seems with Reason.

Some of you, perhaps, filled with Loyalty to our mo with Love to our dear Mo ourselves inclined, by the A to approve every Action of t venerate and esteem.

A Prejudice thus flowing position, is amiable indeed. culged without Danger. Di the Error should have been as by me: But in Truth, all M tions and Frailties of Nature ver Regard we entertain fo who govern us, we should their Conduct, as Rulers, ma man Infirmities.

When any Laws, injurious to ve cannot with the least Pro injury was intended us by hi for the Assent of the Crow seems as far as I am able to jud in them, more for their own other Purpose. On the othe cular Business of the People t what Regulations are useful digest and present them in the ther Orders, to have them enac these Laws are to bind them pected, that the House of Co fully consider them: But w Laws, that are not designed cannot imagine that their Del cautious and scrupulous, as in

• Many remarkable Instance the extraordinary Inattention great Importance, concerning t ted in Parliament; which is ow to the Bills being brought in b Points to carry, so artfully fra for the Members in general, in to discover their Tendency.

The following Instances shew mark. When Mr. *Grenville*, in formation, formed the 4th *Geor* regulating the *American Trade*, was drop'd in the Clause relating ber, so that we could send the Part of *Europe*, but to *Great-B* reasonable a Restriction, and s tments of the Legislature, fo that it is surprising it should Notice of in the House. Howev a Law. But when the Matter v restriction was taken off by a sub I cannot positively say, how off this Restriction, as I have think in less than Eighteen M Parliament passed, in which the left out, as it had been before. Second Time explained, was a s

Now if it be considered, that t truck off, with one Word, so t trade, it must appear remarkab the Method by which Rice be commodity, and therefore coul Britain only.

"The Enumeration was obtai by one *Cole*, a Captain of a Ship, any then trading to *Carolina*; f from *England* thither, and purcha prevented the aforesaid Captain is coming home, he possessed member of Parliament (*who u* to prepare Bills) with an ES Rice directly to *Portugal*, w trade of *England*, and PRIVAT n Act to make it an enumer which Means be secured a Freigh consequence proved a VAST LO I find that this Clause "PRI R," for the Benefit of Captain OS OF THE NATION," is foist

• See on Trade, P.